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WILL DESPATCH STEAMERS AS FOLLOWS:—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. MADURA, 1,942 tons, on SATURDAY, 17th May, 1879-at 5 P.M., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Coompta, Mangalore, Cananore, Telicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Pondicherry, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Visagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point. Parts are called at in the foregoing or any order.

CONVEYANCE TO THE NILGHERRY HILLS.—The steamers are timed to reach Beypore at daybreak, and arrangements have been made for a train to leave Beypore specially in connection with the steamers' arrival to convey passengers right through to Mettapolium, where they will arrive at 7-45 p. m., and after staying for the night can proceed up the Ghat early the following morning.

FOR KURRACHEE.

S. S. AKOLA, 579 tons, on MONDAY, 19th May, 1879, at 10 a. m., calling at Verawali, Mangrole, Pore Bunder, and Cutch Mandvie in the foregoing or any order.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. PACHUMBA, 170 tons, on THURSDAY, 22nd May, 1879 at 4 p.m., calling at KURRACHEE, BUNDER ABBAS, LINGA, BUSHIRE, FAO, BUSREH, in the foregoing or any order.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ, ALGIERS AND LISBON.

S. S. BURMAH, 1,031 Tons, on 31st May 1879, connecting at Aden with S. S. ARCOT, 1,782 Tons, and AVA, 2,690.

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MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 5th May 1879.

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Bombay, April, 1879.

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Bombay, 12th May 1879.

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(s) SURAT	3141	530	W. E. Breese	19th May
— KHIVA	2609	450	G. Lee	26th do.
(s) NIZAM	2725	450	A. E. Barlow	30th do.
— VENETIA	2726	450	C. G. Perrins	6th June.
(s) GWALIOR	2725	400	J. C. Babot	13th do.

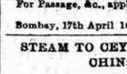
Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 5 p.m., on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 17th April 1879. Superintendent.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.



THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
KHEDIVE	3742	600	J. D. Steward	26th May.
MALWA	2933	450	F. S. Tomlin	9th June.

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Bombay, 17th April 1879. Superintendent.

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Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
ZAMOREN	2263	450	W. W. Fantiman	23rd May.
SIAM	3014	560	G. N. Hector	20th June.
ASSAM	3023	600	N. Stewart	18th July.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, at Mazagon, at p.m. on the day of sailing.

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	Rupees...	15	18-8	22-8	25	30 each.
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	Rupees...	18	22	27	30	35 each.

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OVAL, Tinned and fitted with Clip ...	Rupees. ...	3-8	4-8		each.
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ON EACH EVENING THIS AND NEXT WEEK.
RUPEES 500
AND AT THE MIDDAY PERFORMANCES
RUPEES 250
WILL BE GIVEN AWAY.

The value of the Gift Checks has been set at 8 annas, therefore parties purchasing Three-rupee Tickets will receive six Gift Checks; parties purchasing Two-rupee Tickets will receive four Gift Checks; parties purchasing One-rupee Tickets will receive two Gift Checks; and parties purchasing Eight-anna Tickets will receive one Gift Check.

The Gifts will consist of the following amounts:—
Rs. 10, Rs. 20, Rs. 25, Rs. 50, Rs. 100, and
A GRAND GIFT OF Rs. 1,000,
WHICH WILL BE AWARDED ON
SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 24TH,
when all parties holding numbers for any of the Gift Entertainments that have not been awarded Gifts, will be entitled to participate in the final drawing for the
RUPEES 1,000 GIFT.

In order to convince the Public that the above amount will be given away, in a strictly *bona fide* manner, a committee will be selected from the audience at each Entertainment to superintend the distribution of the Gifts.

UNCLAIMED GIFTS.

$22	Rs.	10
7,462	„	10
9,018	„	10
9,931	„	10
1,431	„	10
1,264	„	10
8,577	„	10

The Parties holding the above numbers will receive the amount awarded by making application to the Box Office, Circus. All Gifts that remain unclaimed at the end of the season will be donated to local charities.

NOTICE.

It is requested that all bills against this Company be presented at the Box Office immediately.

THE BANK OF BENGAL will be CLOSED on SATURDAY, the 24th instant, in honor of the EMPRESS OF INDIA'S BIRTHDAY.

For the Bank of Bengal,
G. W. MOULTRIE,
Bombay, 17th May 1879. Agent.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the BANK, PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, and the GOVERNMENT SAVINGS' BANK will be CLOSED on SATURDAY, the 24th instant, in honor of the EMPRESS OF INDIA'S BIRTHDAY.

By order of the Board of Directors,
M. BALFOUR,
Bombay, 16th May 1879. Secretary and Treasurer.

MR. W. SAUNDERS is AUTHORIZED to SIGN one Firm PER PRO during the temporary absence of Mr. R. SCOTT.

ROBERT SCOTT & Co.,
Bombay, 17th May 1879. V. S.

NOTICE.

THE ABKARI FARMS for 1879-80 of this Collectorate and the co-shared villages of the Dang Country under the Khandesh Political Agency will be put up to AUCTION at the Collector's Kacheri at Dhulia on the 30th June 1879 at 2 p.m.

W. A. EAST,
Acting Collector and Political Agent Khandesh.
Office of the Collector of Khandesh, Camp Nandurbar, 15th May 1879.

FRAMJEE COWASJEE POWAY ESTATE.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS for the undermentioned PRODUCE of the following Villages for a period of one year from 1st July 1879 to 30th June 1880 and also for a period of ten years from 1st July 1879 to 30th June 1889, will be received at the Office of the Receiver on or before the 20th June next, up to 1 o'clock p.m., the latter period subject to the sanction of the High Court.

VILLAGES.—Poway, Tirandoz, Kopri, Sanki, Toongawan, Puspoli, Kanjoor, Vicroli, and Tiramba Garden.

PRODUCE.—Rents of Paddy fields, Grass, Mango, *Kulmi* and *Jungali*, Brab-tree Leaves and Fruit, Guavas, Stones from Quarry.

Teakwood jungle in the village of Poway and Vicroli. A large tract of land situate in Kanjoor village, south of the G. I. P. Railway Station at Bhandup, known as Kanjoor Salt Pans.

Particulars, conditions and terms of the Lease both for one year and ten years, can be had on application to the undersigned.

The undersigned does not bind himself to accept any Tender.

ARDASEER FRAMJEE MOOS, Receiver.
Bombay, 15th May 1879.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the MATTER of the INDIAN COMPANIES' ACT X. of 1866, and in the MATTER of the NURSEY SPINNING and WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED, in LIQUIDATION.

HENRY RANDALL CORMACK, NOWROZJEE FURDOONJEE, and MICHAEL ROZARIO DE QUADROS.....Official Liquidators.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court in the above matter the Official Liquidators will on WEDNESDAY the 2nd day of July 1879, at 3 p. m., cause the following property to be put up FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION at their office, No. 25, Apollo Street, Fort, unless the said property shall have been previously sold by private contract on or before MONDAY, the 3rd day of June 1879.

The sale shall extend to the right, title and interest only of the above Company and shall be subject to the confirmation of the Court.

Private offers for the purchase of the property will be received up to 4 p. m. on THURSDAY, the 19th June 1879.

For conditions of sale, inventories of plants, machinery, stores, and cotton in process of manufacture and other particulars, application is to be made to the Official Liquidators at their above office, or to Messrs. ARDESIR and HORMUSJEE, their Solicitors.

The property will be on view on and from the 21st instant.—Dated this 14th day of May 1879.

ARDESIR & HORMUSJEE,
Attorneys for the Official Liquidators.

I. All that piece or parcel of leasehold land held for a term of 99 years from 1st August 1874 at the monthly rent of Rupees 165, admeasuring 32,394 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the west side of the public road leading from Goregaon to the Parel Tank, in the sub-district of Mandvie, in Bombay, with the messuages, tenements, buildings, outhouses, offices, factories and appurtenances standing thereon, bounded on the east by the public road aforesaid, on the west and south by the property of the Frere Land and Pier Company, Limited, and on the north by a road belonging to the said Frere Land and Pier Company, Limited, leading to the Municipality's stable, at Chinchpoogly, together with all the boilers, engines, spindles, looms, machinery, implements, utensils, plant and appurtenances of any and every kind affixed to the said premises, all which said land, buildings, and premises belonging to the Nursey Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, are now commonly known as the Nursey Spinning and Weaving Mill.

II. All the stores in the godowns of the said Mill and all cotton in process of manufacture in the said Mill.

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„ ten-bottle size	per doz. 3 8
Boxwood Measures, for the Acid and Soda Powders, each	1 0
Tartaric Acid, in Crystals,	per lb. bottle. 2 8
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Bishop's Citrate of Magnesia...per bottle, Rs.	0 12
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Eno's Fruit Salt..... „	„ 1 12
Hibbert's Health-giving Saline „	„ 1 8
Hockin's Soluliz Powder..... „	„ 1 12 & Rs. 3 8
Lamplough's Pyretic Saline... „	„ 1 8 & „ 2 12

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

SATURDAY EVENING, 18TH MAY 1879.

BUSINESS movement since last Mail left have run pretty much in the same grooves as during the preceding week. With encouraging advices from Liverpool, the Cotton Market has been strong and advancing with a rise of about Rs. 15 per candy, and Piece Goods and Yarns owing to the accounts from Manchester have been active at hardening values, but there is very little doing in other articles of export and import, and the actual extent of trade passing is small in the aggregate for the time of year. Freights are a shade firmer than they were, the rate by steamer to Liverpool having advanced to 27s. 6d., but iron sailing ships are still only getting 17s. 6d. per ton. Exchange has declined about one per cent. on the week, Money is easier, Government Paper quiet, Shares dull.

The NEW LOAN of 5 crores at 4½ per cent for which tenders were received in Calcutta on 12th instant, has been a feature of interest this week. The total amount tendered for was Rs. 6,70,69,700, but Government having fixed their minimum at Rs. 94 per cent only Rs. 4,05,45,000 was subscribed at and above that figure. The average rate of allotment was Rs. 94½ producing Rs. 3,84,06,041. The result is decidedly more favourable than was generally anticipated and Government, we think, have every reason to be satisfied with the operation. It has not been perhaps so favourable as loans of previous years, but is nevertheless says a great deal for the credit of the country to be able to raise a silver loan at a charge of only 4½ per cent per annum, with exchange in its present uncertain state, and some of the leading banks, by no means, in a position to go freely into an operation of the kind. Government have not yet given any intimation of what course they intend to pursue with respect to the 94½ lacs which remain unallotted. It is currently reported that a private offer of Rs. 95 has been made and refused for the whole sum, but if they really want to place it we think they would do well to issue a definite announcement of the rate they are prepared to accept, as the Market will be kept in an unsettled state and their own object defeated by such a large sum being continually in suspense and liable to be brought out at any moment. The day following the allotments, business was done in the new paper, for delivery, at Rs. 95, and it steadily advanced to Rs. 96, at which, however, there have been free sellers and at the close there are not buyers over Rs. 95¾. The old loans are steady but quiet at Rs. 91½ to Rs. 92 for Fours and Rs. 96½ for Fours-and-a-half. The latest quotations from London are 71¼ and 77 respectively, but from private sources we learn that there are not buyers of any amount at these rates.

MONEY.—Although the last published return of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending on the 10th inst. showed no movements of special importance, the Cash Balance having only increased by about 2 lacs, the directors saw fit at their weekly meeting on the 15th instant to reduce their rates of interest and discount 1 per cent. all round, making the charge for fixed loans 7 and for demand 8 per cent. per annum. On the following day the directors of the Bank of Bengal in Calcutta made a similar reduction which brings their minimum to 1 per cent. below the Bank of Bombay. The downward movement having thus been fairly started will probably be very rapid. In the open Market accommodation for a fixed term is already procurable at 6 per cent., and as for all practical purposes we cannot count on having more than three weeks of our season left, more capital will be set at liberty daily and rates may be expected to decline in proportion.

EXCHANGE.—The transactions in Sterling this week have not been large, and rates have declined about 8-16d. to 1-32d. per rupee from last Mail's quotations. Business for this steamer opened on Tuesday morning on the basis of 1s. 7 11-32d. for demand Bank and 1s. 7 19-32d. for 3 months' Credit bills, but it was evident that a very weak feeling prevailed, and during the day a decline of 1-16d. to 3-32d. was established, which was repeated again on Wednesday and on Thursday on receipt of advice of Council drafts in London having been allotted at an average of about 1s. 7¼d., and the reduction in the Bank of Bengal's rates of discount, a further drop of 1-32d. to 1-16d. took place. Since then the market has remained quiet but steady at unchanged rates, the following being closing quotations :—Bank Bills on demand 1s. 7 5-32d., 6 months' 1s. 7 13-32d. ; Credits 3 months' 1s. 7 7-16d., 6 months' 1s. 7¼d. ; Documents 3 months' 1s. 7 7-16d., 6 months' 1s. 7 9-16d. per rupee. For future delivery there are no private bills offering, and for such bills no quotation is obtainable beyond June, although at the beginning of the week there were sellers up to August at a reduction of 1-16d. from their current rates.

The immediate cause of the decline which has taken place this week is the comparative success of the New Loan. A very general opinion previously prevailed that Government might hold for a minimum at which only a small proportion of the loan would have been taken up, and that the balance would then have had to be obtained in London causing a reduction in Council drawings to a like extent. We have now, however, for a supporting influence only to look to the loan for 10 millions, but if we read the intentions of Government aright, this, if sanctioned, will only be utilised to the extent necessary to obtain an average of 1s. 7d. per rupee for the financial year, and as the average so far is considerably above that, they have a margin to work upon which will obviate the suspension or reduction of the drawings for some weeks yet, even although less than 1s. 7d. be realised.

In Gold business has been done for export this week at Rs. 19-11 per tola, and the nominal quotation at the close is Rs. 19-11-6.

BAR SILVER is now quoted in London at 50 1-16d. per oz., equivalent to a fraction over 1s. 7 3-16d. per rupee. The shipments for this port by last week's steamer from Southampton amount to £170,000 making £510,000 afloat, whilst the sum held in the Mint according to last statement was upwards of £2,000,000.

On Calcutta transactions of late have not been numerous and we still quote demand drafts at par to 1-16 per cent. premium, 60 days' sight ½ per cent. discount.

On China the quotation is quite nominal at Rs. 216 per 100 dollars for 60 days' sight mercantile bills. The latest quotation by wire from Hongkong for 6 months' sight Bank Bills on London is 3s. 8¼d. per dollar, and from Shanghai 5s. 2d. per tael.

STAPLES.—The Market continues very dull and real transactions are limited. *Bank* shares have not undergone much change. Bank of Bombay are Rs. 3½ higher at Rs. 653½. National of India have receded from Rs. 107 to Rs. 105, Agra are unchanged at Rs. 130. *Land* Companies do not receive much attention and the only change to notice is an advance of Rs. 5 in Port Cannings. *Press* shares as a rule are steady. Berars have recovered Rs. 15 and Mofussil Rs. 10, but Prince of Wales have declined Rs. 35 per share. *Spinning and Weaving* Mill shares are somewhat irregular. We notice a decline of Rs. 5 in Dhurrumsey and Rs. 7½ in Bombay Hemp and Jute, Rs. 25 in Hydrabad, and Rs. 55 in Prince of Wales, whilst there is an advance of Rs. 10 in Bombay United and Oriental, Rs. 15 in Jewraz Balloo, Rs. 20 in Madras United, Rs. 45 in Khandeish and Rs. 55 in Morarjee Gooculdass. Amongst *Miscellaneous* Companies we notice a decline of Rs. 5 in Bombay, Burmah Trading Company, and Rs. 100 in Prince of Wales Insurance. Landing and Shipping Company of Kurrachee have advanced Rs. 5, Treacher & Co., Ld., Rs. 25 per share

PIECE GOODS.—A decidedly improved demand has been apparent this week, and a large business has been done in nearly all descriptions of goods from first hands, and from the bazaar the clearances are estimated at 2,250 to 2,500 packages. Prices show an upward tendency all round, and in most instances our quotations are raised As. 1 to As. 2 per piece, but in some cases holders are asking even a larger advance therby restricting to some extent the amount of business. Stocks are now reduced to a very moderate level, and supplies on the way are not heavy, so that should the upward movement in Manchester continue we shall be bound to follow it here; at the same time any important rise from present figures would lead to a material curtailment in the consumption, as the country is not in a state at present to absorb a large supply of dear goods.

GREY GOODS.—Shirtings continue the description in most demand, and of these, more especially, 6lb., 7lb. and 8½lb. 39 inch. Stocks of these weights are small and an active demand exists at an advance of As. 2 per piece. The wider makes although not in quite so much demand are nevertheless very saleable and are generally As. 1 to As. 2 per piece higher. T. Cloths are in demand for special request, but Madapollams, Jaconets and Mulls are all active and advancing. T. Cloths are in rather better enquiry but so far are not dearer, and the same may be said of Dhoties. *Bleached Goods* are improving although not to the same extent as Greys. Shirtings, Mulls, and Jaconets continue very saleable at As. 1 per piece higher, but other cloths are not quotably dearer. *Dyed and Printed* and *T. Red* Goods continue to share in the improvement to some extent, but prices are slow to take an upward turn. *Local* made goods are rather more saleable, but stocks are still too large to admit of much improvement in price.

TWIST.—An active demand has continued throughout the week for English Twist and stocks being light prices have further advanced As. ½ per lb. all round. For local Yarn there is also a much improved enquiry at an advance of As. ½ to As. ¾ per lb., even with this, however, the most of the mills are working to a loss owing to the rapid rise in the value of Cotton.

METALS.—*Copper*.—Owing to the decline advised from home prices here have given way As. 8 to Re. 1 per cwt, but a slightly better demand is apparent at the low rates and it seems not at all unlikely that a recovery may take place. *Yellow Metal* has also declined As. 8 to Re. 1 per cwt, but the enquiry continues small. *Iron* is pretty steady but not active. Swedish Bars have recovered Re. 1 per candy, but British Bars and square Nail Rods are Rs. 1 per candy higher. Stocks are moderate.

COAL.—The demand has fallen off materially during the past week, very little business has been done to arrive and prices must be quoted annas 4 lower for Cape and annas 8 per ton lower for steamer cargoes. The only transaction reported this week is the part cargo of Davison's West Hartly, per Ashburne (s. s.) to arrive at Rs. 22 per ton alongside. There are sellers of June-July sailing Cape cargoes of Laird's Welsh Hartley at Rs. 20½, Davison's West Hartley at Rs. 21½ and Cardiff at Rs. 21½ per ton alongside.

COTTON.—The Market has been very active this week and a large business has been done for export at an advance of Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 per candy. To begin with a very quiet feeling prevailed and there was every appearance on Tuesday of more moderate prices being established, but on Wednesday the Liverpool news caused a recovery and a rise of Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 per candy. This was followed by a further advance of Rs. 5 to Rs. 6 on Thursday, Re. 2 on Friday and Re. 1 to Rs. 3 on Saturday. At the close there is a slight pause in the demand, but sellers are extremely firm, and as the reports from up-country show very distinctly the near approach of the end of the season, we are not likely to see much giving way in prices on this side unless a material fall is advised from Liverpool. The purchases for export this week make a total of about 30,000 bales exclusive of up-country operations—consisting of about 6,000 bales Dholleras, 2,000 bales Veravul, 4,000 bales Comptas, 2,000 bales Ginned Broach, 5,000 bales Comrawuttee and 1,000 bales Sawginned Dharwar.

The *Receipts* during the week show the following comparisons with the two previous seasons :—

	1879.	1878.	1877.
For the Week	58,474	29,826	51,990
Since 1st September	633,459	753,330	940,450

The *Clearances for Sea* since the departure of last Mail have been 21,614 bales, making a total of 349,638 bales since 1st January, against 484,054 bales for the corresponding period last year. The deficiency this season as compared with last accordingly stands now at 134,356 bales, but looking at the quantity already afloat and the existing scale of receipts there is little doubt we think that the sailings for the six months will reach 550,000 bales.

The bulk of the arrivals now consist of Dholleras descriptions, but Comptas is also arriving freely, and Omrawuttee is holding out much better than was expected. Of Broach receipts are now limited and of Sawginned Dharwar very little is still coming forward, and what there is consists of very poor quality the bulk being no better than Good Fair.

The following are to-day's quotations for fu pressed cotton with the equivalents in sterling cost and freight to Liverpool, via Canal without commission :—

	Per Candy.	Per lb. C. & F.
New Good M. G. Broach,	....Rs. 275 =	6 11/16d.
" Oomra	.... " 253 =	6 3/16d.
" F.G.F. Do.	.... " 248 =	6 1/16d.
" G. F. Do	.... " 245 =	6d.
" Good Dholleras	.... " 254 =	6 3/16d.
" F.G.F. Do.	.... " 249 =	6 1/16d.
" G. F. Do.	.... " 244 =	6d.
" Good Ginned Dharwar	.... " 230 =	5¾d.
" G.F. Compta	.... " 215 =	5 5/16d.

The visible supply of Cotton for all Europe on the 16th instant shows the following comparisons with the two previous years :—

	1879.	1878.	1877.
Total supply of all kinds	1,930,000	2,397,390	2,936,020
" " " Surats	383,000	351,600	602,000
For the U. K. only the figures are :—			
Stock in Liverpool	566,000	832,610	1,168,900
Do. London	45,000	9,380	42,390
American afloat	180,000	203,000	120,000
E. Indian "	120,000	84,000	155,000
Total	911,000	1,178,990	1,486,290
Price of Mid. Orleans	7 3-16d.	6½d.	6d.
" Fair Dhollers	5¾d.	4¾d.	4¾d.
Difference	1 9-16d.	1¾d.	1¼d.

The American Cotton Crop figures to date give the following comparisons with the two previous seasons :—

	1879.	1878.	1877.
Week's Receipts	21,000	20,000	17,000
" Exports to U K	39,000	30,000	22,000
" " to Continent	6,000	28,000	19,000
Total Receipts since 1st Sept.	4,341,000	4,121,000	3,858,000
" Exports to U K	1,885,000	1,844,000	1,818,300
" " Continent	1,365,000	1,272,000	927,300
" Stock at the Ports	290,000	330,000	486,000

SEEDS.—*Linseed* continues to come in very slowly, and there can be no doubt now that the crop on this side is very short. The price is maintained at Rs. 7-8 to Rs. 7-9 per cwt. *Rapeseed* is unaltered at Rs. 7-8 per cwt., the supplies being limited. For *Gingelly* Rs. 48 to Rs. 49 is quoted for White and Rs. 44 to Rs. 45½ per candy for Red and Brown descriptions.

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each	Rs. 13-10
Napoleons	" 22
Mexican Dollars	" 22
Five-Franc Pieces	" 240
Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ bottomries	" 106-4-0
Gold Leaf	" 19-11-0
Bar Gold, 10 oz. English, 100 touch	" 19-13-0
Australian Gold, 100 touch	" 19-13-0
Bombay Bar Gold 100 touch	" 19-11-0
Pekin Gold Bars	" 19-6-0

BANK OF BENGAL.

THE following is the statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th May compared with that for 6th May :—

LIABILITIES.	6th May. Rs. A. P.	18th May. Rs. A. P.
Capital	2,00,00,000 0 0	2,00,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund	15,95,805 0 0	15,95,805 0 0
Treasury Balances	2,21,56,681 14 2	1,92,45,755 12 7
Other Deposits	2,66,59,685 4 10	2,42,79,837 2 6
Post Office Bills, &c.	6,02,645 5 6	6,14,786 9 3
Sundries	12,73,069 15 5	12,68,122 5 2
Rs.	7,15,87,981 7 11	6,73,02,381 13 6
ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Government Securities	77,13,593 8 0	64,35,392 8 0
Loans on Govt. Securities	59,36,711 2 11	61,11,390 9 1
Credits on ditto	74,95,066 12 5	61,20,886 14 3
Bills Discounted	2,20,04,258 10 5	2,07,57,944 13 7
Balances with other Banks	10,68,224 10 5	8,44,166 11 6
Bullion		
Dead Stock	9,53,825 14 5	9,69,550 9 4
Stamps	6,295 5 6	6,891 13 6
Sundries	1,71,188 6 6	1,66 186 2 4
Cash at Head Office	98,29,618 7 0	1,07,49,298 2 7
Do. at Branches	1,63,28,601 10 2	1,51,40,773 0 0
	7,15,87,981 7 11	6,73,02,381 13 6

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE BARQUE VERONA, 425 tons, Captain H. M. Habgood, will sail to-day for Bremerhaven, with a general cargo.

THE HALL LINE S. S. RYDAL HALL, 1,737 tons, Captain O. Lloyd, sailed on Saturday last for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

THE S. S. OBRUN, 162 tons, Captain G. J. Baker, sailed on Saturday last for Coast and Cutch, with a general cargo and 105 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s S. S. BYCULLA, 1,114 tons, Captain A. Morris, arrived in harbour on the 17th inst. from Rangoon, 3rd May, with a cargo of 17,140 bags rice and 550 bags grain. She sailed yesterday for Liverpool.

THE B. S. N. Co.'s S. S. AKOLA, 315 tons, Captain J. W. Stewart, will sail to-day for Kathiawar Coast and Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs Plater and child, and 60 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s S. S. COCONADA, 547 tons, Captain A. Morris, arrived in harbour on Saturday last from Calcutta, with a general cargo. She sailed yesterday for Malabar Coast and Tuticorin, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. E. Godaden, a gentleman, Mr. Davie, and 63 deck passengers.

ARRIVALS.

May.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From.
17	Byculla(s)	Mason	Rangoon, May 8.
17	Coconada(s)	Morris	Calcutta, May 14.
18	Danish Monarch (s).	Cator	Rangoon.

DEPARTURES.

May.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
17	Dumfrieshire	Greig	Liverpool.
	Rydal Hall (s)	Lloyd	Liverpool.
	Oorun (s)	Baker	Coast and Cutch.
18	Coconada (s)	Morris	M. Coast & Tuticorin.
	Byculla (s)	Mason	Tuticorin.

The following vessels obtained their port clearances on Saturday last :—

Steamer Akola, Stuart, to K. Coast and Kurrachee.
Barque Verona, Habgood, to Bremerhaven.

The ship Frolic, to Havre, was entered for loading on Saturday last.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

May.
18 Gampsie Glen.....Smith.....Colombo, May 3.

DEPARTURES.

May. 18.—Steamer Shah Jehan. Ships Respigadera, Glenesk Reigate and Star of France.

PASSENGERS.

Per Gampsie Glen—Mrs Smith and child.

PASSENGERS SAILED.

The following is the list of passengers per S S Kashgar, which sailed on the 15th instant :—

For Melbourne, Colonel R Gibson. For Brindisi, Mr William Duncan. For Venice, Mr J F Bloohmeier. For Southampton, Mrs Butcher, Mr Ritchie, Mrs Halliday, Mr Mackintosh, Mr Cooban, Mr Totteham, Mrs Macdonald and 2 children, Mr P Reid, Mrs Wilson and child, two Misses Wilson, Mr and Mrs J Ogilvie, Mr Sibold, Lord Greenock, and Mr Cool.

VESSELS SPOKEN.

By Gampsie Glen—Iron Duke at Saugor returned from sea (crank) wished to be reported.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

May.
14 Aldborough..... ..... Melbourne.
16 Rajpootana (s) .... Bombay.

DEPARTURES.

May.
14 C. of Cambridge (s). ..... Calcutta.

DEPARTURE OF PASSENGERS.

Per P and O Co's steam-ship Teheran, from Bombay, on Monday :—For Galle—Mr Ludhabhoy. For Yokohama—Mr and Mrs Kitts.

Per P and O Co's s s Thibet, from Bombay, on Monday, with the following additional passengers :—For Southampton—Lieut Cunliff, R A, Mr and Mrs J R Davis and infant, Mr and Mrs J Simpson and three children, Mr T Smith, a gentleman, Mr J Chandler. For Brindisi—Mr J D Ward, a gentleman, Mr P Navelzar, a gentleman, and Capt A Evans-Gordon, Mr Wm Jones, Mr Adam—Apothecary Governjee and wife, Mr Aspandiarjee F Sorabjee and 122 Government passengers.

DAILY IMPORTS.—MAY 17.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Gordon s—777 pieces iron pipes, Abdeollaly Surufally, Anglia s—100 kegs iron nails, Sir Charles Forbes and Co.

FROM LONDON.

St George s—30 cases claret, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Teheran s—80 drums linseed oil, A Sumsoodin.
Wilton s—190 casks pale ale, Forbes and Co.
Sues s—5 casks nails, 65 cases copper sheets and 55 cases yellow metal sheets, Ritchie, Steuart and Co ; 50 cases oilmanstores, Shurufally Hajeeolia.

FROM TRIESTE.

Medea s—1 case glass beads, Forbes and Co.
Achille s—189 bales printing paper and 40 cases glass beads, M Mandalfo and Co ; 8 cases writing paper, Ritchie, Steuart and Co.

FROM NEW YORK.

Coringa—7 cases tobacco, Bell, Brandenburg and Co.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Assiria s—40 cases brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee.
Batavia s—22 cases brandy, Bell, Brandenburg and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—MAY 17.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Evesham Abbey—27 bales rags, Hurjeewan Vussonjee ; 500 bale cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 40 bales wool, Premchund Jaichund.
Narcissus—400 cwts bones, Natha Essa ; 1225½ cwts linseed, Ritchie, Steuart and Co.
Raphael—300 cwts myrabollams, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 13 bales hemp and 60 bales rags, Nuthoo Soondarjee.
Aberdare—400 cwts bones, Natha Essa ; 110 bales cotton waste, Tookersee Jewraz.
Shakespeare—500 bales cotton, A Blasheck and Co.
Henriette—150 bales cotton, Thos H Moore and Co.
Lady Lyeett s—300 bales cotton, A Blasheck and Co ; 40 bales wool, Hurjeewan Vussonjee.
Anglia s—350 bales cotton, Finlay, Muir and Co ; 98 bales wool, G J Khambatta.
Egbert s—550 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Wistow Hall s—500 cwts bones, Edward Bates and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Surat s—7 boxes gold bars and coins (Rs. 3,16,400), The C M Bank of I L and China ; 109 cwts bloodstone, Mahamedally Abdoolhoosein ; 12 cases fishmaws, Rahimbhoy Alladinbhoy ; 10½ cwts E teeth, Motichund Purshotum ; 24½ cwts E teeth J F Khanlucklina; 27½ cwts M of P shells, Dawoodbhoy Hassum.

FOR CALAIS.

Harlsey s—29,908 cwts linseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR HAVRE.

Frolic—1,500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Victoria—500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 400 bales cotton, Vinay and Co.
Elcano—400 bales cotton, F Sauquet and Co ; 1,000 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co ; 180 cwts bones, Abdoolally Mahomedally.
Alice Buck—3,857 cwts linseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Achille s—47 casks coffee, C J Khumbatta ; 150 bales cotton, Kunkler, Singer and Co ; 400 bales cotton, A Blascheck and Co.
Khiva s—50 bales skins, 3 bales hides and 1 bale carpets, John Mahomed Megjee ; 200 bales cotton, Lang Moir and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Malta s—100 bales cotton, C Rustomjee Sethna.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY COLABA.
BOMBAY, 16th May 1879.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 6 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah	29·759
Temperature of the Air	86·6
Wet Bulb Thermometer	80·7
Dew Point	79·1
Relative humidity of Air	·815
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=8).	4·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 8 p.m.)	91·2
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	81·2
General Direction of Wind	NW, SSW, S, SW, W WNW, SSW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	316.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, Adjutant General's Office, Head-Quarters, Poona, 16th May 1879.

Surgeon Major H Waghorn, general duty Mhow Circle is transferred to general duty Presidency Circle, and will proceed to Ahmedabad.

Surgeons D A Gomes and A S Faulkner are transferred from general duty Presidency Division to general duty Poona Division.

Surgeon H C H Peacocke is transferred from general duty Sind Division to general duty Presidency Division.

Lieut Colonel G F Beville, Offg Deputy Judge Advocate, is posted to the Poona Circle.

The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages :—

Gujerati—Captain Walter Scott, Staff Corps.

Hindustani, Higher Standard—Captain Napier, 3rd Hussars ; Lieut C E Harrison, 22nd Bombay Native Infantry ; Gunner S Darling, R H A, Acting Bombardier T Murray, Gunner C Graham, R A, Lieut H H Barnet, 2nd Lieut F M Carpendale, Private T Walsh, 2-17th Foot ; Lieut D'Arcy R Chapman, 2nd Lieuts E A D A Thomas and H L Houghton, 29th Foot ; Surgeons G H Bull and D A Gomes ; Hospital Serjt J McMillon.

Corporal J Doyle, R A, is reported to have passed the Examination for employment in the P W Department.

The following orders are confirmed :—

Kirkee station order, dated 8th May, directing Lieut G P Owen, R A to officiate as station staff officer, temporarily, during the absence of Captain Blakeley on sick leave.

R O by the officer commanding R A Poona Division dated 5th May, appointing Lt Owen Acting Adjutant, vice Blakeley proceeded on sick leave.

3rd N I, R O dated 1st March, directing Lieut Birdwood, Wing Officer, to officiate as Quarter master in addition to his own duties, during Lieut MacMahon's absence with the left Wing at Hyderabad.

R O dated 22nd March, directing Colonel J Clements, 2nd in Command, to perform the duties of Quarter Master in addition to his own as a temporary measure (no subaltern being available), vice Lt Birdwood reported sick.

4th N I, R O, dated 31st April, directing Lieut Bayly to officiate as Quarter master in addition to his own duties.

12th N I, R O, dated 5 May, directing Lieut-Colonel Walsh, offg 2nd in Command, to officiate as Commandant ; Captain Browne, Adjutant offg wing commander, to officiate as 2nd in Command ; and Lieut Mahon, wing officer, offg Adjutant to officiate as wing commander, in addition to his own duties, (no officer being available) in succession to Colonel Hogg proceeding on medical certificate.

72nd N I, R O, dated 4th April, directing Captain Wetherall, wing officer, to officiate as Adjutant in addition to his own duties as a temporary measure (no qualified subaltern being available), vice Lieut Smith reported sick.

With reference to the R O 3rd N I confirmed in G O C of 28th Feb last, the appointment of Lieuts MacMahon and Birdwood to officiate as Quartermaster is in addition to their respective duties.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Captain E Blakeley (acting adjutant R A, Poona Division) for 60 days, to the Neilgherris on medical certificate.

Lieut F L Cunliffe (R A) Bombay and thence to England to appear before a medical Board.

2-11th Foot, Sub-Lieut L H Vidal for 30 days from 27th April, to remain at Mhow on medical certificate in extension.

29th Foot, Major F C Ruxton to remain in England from 20th April to 7th August, in extension on medical certificate.

3rd N I, Colonel Houghton, from 15th to 19th May, in extension of subsidiary leave.

5th N I, Lieut Colonel DesVoeux for 6 months in India on private affairs.

18th N I, Surgeon Major A N E Riddell to remain in Bombay from 12th May to 10th June, in extension on medical certificate.

28th N I, Lieut Colonel Le Hook for 6 months, to study the native language.

Surgeon Major J F Brodie to Bombay and thence to England for 6 months, on urgent private affairs.

BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Calcutta Gazette.*)

Mr Grimley to act tempy as Secy to the Board of Revenue vice Mr H L Harrison.

Mr J Tweedie, Offg Dist and Sess Judge, Dacca, furlough to Europe for one year five months and six days.

The Hon'ble W A Hamilton, Junior Chaplain is appointed to officiate as Chaplain of Dinapore.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Fort St. George Gazette*, May 13.)

Major E Shaw, Madras Staff Corps, to act as Superintendent of Police, 2nd Grade.

The undermentioned officer is appointed to be Magistrate of 3rd Class :—Mr Hallett, Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate in the District of Vizagapatam.

Mr Martin, Acting Collector, Trichinopoly, privilege leave for three months.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

The services of Lieut-Col (Brevet-Colonel) Hog Royal (Madras) Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of H M the Commander-in-Chief.

The undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment :—

R M Allen and H St Clare Carruthers.

The following order by the officer Commanding Southern District is confirmed :—Major Morrogh, Staff Corps to the charge of the Commissariat Office, Trichinopoly.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Head Quarters, Simla, May 8.

Brigadier General J Watson, C B, V C, Bombay Staff Corps is appointed Inspector General of the line of Communication of the Kuram Field Force ; and Lieut Col M H Heathcote, Bengal Staff Corps, Road Commandant of the same.

The C-in-C in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Capt Welchman, Squadron Officer 7th Bengal Cavalry, is transferred to the 12th Bengal Cavalry, as an attached officer, and appointed to officiate as Squadron Commander, vice Lieut Col McNair, proceeding on furlough.

13th Bengal Lancers—Lieut Gwatkin, Officiating Squadron Officer, is confirmed in that appointment.

15th Bengal Cavalry—Lieut White, 72nd Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, on probation.

12th N I—Lieut Angelo, Officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in that appointment.

Lieut Montgomery-Campbell, R A, is directed to proceed from Dinapore to Nowgoing for duty with D Battery 3rd Brigade

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

15th Hussars—Veterinary Surgeon O W Gillard to England, to appear before a medical board.

2-8th Foot—Lieut (Local Captain) J M Taylor to Europe, for four months.

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BIRTHS.

BEGBIE—May 9th, at Kohat, the wife of Captain F. R. Begbie, 1st Sikh Infantry, of a daughter.
CRIBB—May 15th, at Madras, the wife of Mr. T. Cribb, Government Telegraph Department, of twin boys.
KEMP—11th May, at Barrackpore, the wife of Walter H. Kemp, V. S., Royal Horse Artillery, of a son.
WILKINSON—May 10th, at Calicut, the wife of Mr. T. F. Wilkinson, Goodalore Police Inspector, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

JERVIS—SANDFORD—May 13th, at St. Paul's, Civil Lines Agra, by the Rev. Mr. Beasley, Jervis William Jervis, Esq., son of Captain T. S. Jervis, to Dora Emily, second daughter of the late D. L. Sandford, Esq., Deputy Collector.
LUSHINGTON—FYERS—May 6th, at Christ Church Cathedral, Colombo, by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Colombo, assisted by the Rev. T. Miller, and the Rev. H. D. Maytick, Charles Morant Zushington, Ceylon Civil Service, to Laura Isabella, third daughter of the Hon'ble Colonel A. B. Fyers, R. E., Surveyor General of Ceylon.

DEATHS.

CLARKE—May 8th, at Dinapore, Surgeon-Major Clarke, A. M. D.
WARD—May 11th, at Naini Tal, the dearly loved son of F. W. and Lydia Ward.
HULBERT—May 11th, at Calcutta, of heat apoplexy, Norman R. Hulbert, second son of the late Henry Hulbert, Esq., aged 24 years.
SMITH—May 5th, at Madras, William O'B. Smith, late Missionary S. P. G., aged 62 years.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES and other Remittances, sent to this office should be made payable to the "Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*."

The Bombay Gazette

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1879.

ALTHOUGH decided progress has been made towards unraveling the plot that has brought about the incendiary fires at Poona, and although the efforts so far of the various officers engaged in the enquiry have met with some success, it would be too much to assert that we have yet definitely got to the bottom of the motives that prompted the crimes. It is, we think, evident that the theory which has been advanced in some quarters at Poona to the effect that the fires were lighted with the object of destroying certain deeds and documents, and that one building was destroyed in order to distract attention from the other, will not bear close scrutiny ; for the labour and trouble of setting fire to both palaces would in that case have been quite unnecessary, besides parties who might have had that object in view would not be likely to increase the risk and labours of the enterprise by attempting other and unnecessary operations. Their minds would be too much concentrated on the one business in hand. Then, again, what about the third attempt on the Fudkay's Wada which was so happily frustrated? On the whole, therefore, we must come back to the original theory that the object of the fires was solely what the miscreants involved might please to call political. It was intended to occasion alarm, to discredit the Government, to give effect and importance to the present disturbed state of the country, and to spread abroad the belief that fierce discontent was

LATEST INTELLIGENCE

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT).

THE POSITION IN POONA.

POONA, MAY 18.

The Governor is shortly expected. It is rumoured that a beg of gunpowder was found in the Commissioner's Office in the Boodwar peth. A regular crusade has been preached against the Government for some time past in the Poona City Town Hall.

AFFAIRS AT BURMA.

RANGOON, MAY 18.

All here is quiet. The steamers and flats on the frontier are returning to Rangoon, which will be effect a saving of one lakh of Rupees per month. The gunboat Irrawaddy and the troops, however, remain to guard the frontier.

At Mandalay everything seems smooth on the surface, but reports from thence state that orders have been issued by the Burmese Government secretly to surround and watch the Residency.

The river is rising rapidly.

Trade is stagnant. The Chamber of Commerce has represented to the local Government that the trade has been ruined since the troops arrived, showing a decrease of imports within the last three months on the corresponding period last year of twenty lakhs.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(*By Red Sea Cable.*)

THE BERLIN TREATY.

LONDON, MAY 17.

In the House of Lords last night a long discussion took place on the Treaty of Berlin and its execution. Lord Salisbury, Foreign Minister, said the Treaty gives Turkey a fresh lease of her existence, and delayed a catastrophe which would have been terrible to the whole world.

Lord Beaconsfield said that Yakub Khan had come into the British Camp at his own invitation, and was now an honored guest seeking peace.

THE MAILS.

LONDON, MAY 15.

The Bombay Mails of the 28th ulto. arrived at Brindisi to-day.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

ADEN, MAY 17.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Java, homeward bound from the Persian Gulf and Kurrachee, left yesterday.

LONDON, MAY 15.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed strong. Surats strong.

The London Cotton Market has been firm.

Fair Dhollera	5 9-16.

The Manchester Market has been firm.

Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1-7½
3 per cent. Consols for account	98¾
5 per cent. French Rente, 1872	113¾
Bar Silver	50 1-16
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	71½
4½ per cent. do.	77

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results :—

Reserve of Notes	£17,900,000 Inc.	£200,000
Bills Discounted	£21,000,000 Inc.	£200,000
Bullion	£33,400,000 Inc.	£300,000

The proportion of the Reserve to the Liabilities is 1½ per cent.

Arrival—Marina.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, MAY 16.

Total Week's sales of Cotton	63,000	bales.
Amount forwarded	9,000	do.
Do. Week's sales of Surats	5,000	do.
Do. do. imports of Cotton	80,000	do.
Do. do. do. Surats	11,000	do.
Do. Stock of Cotton	566,000	do.
Do. do. Surats	29,000	do.
Do. Stock of Cotton in London	45,000	do.

LONDON, MAY 16.

The Liverpool Cotton Market has been firm.

The London Cotton Market has been strong.

Fair Dhollera	5⅝.

The Manchester Market has been firm, but higher prices asked seriously checks business.

7 lbs. Shirtings	5-10½
8½ lbs. do.	6-9
40s. Mule Twist	0-9½
Exchange on India 60 days' sight	1-7½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	71½
4½ per cent. do.	77
3 per cent. Consols for account	98¾
5 per cent. French Rentes, 1872	113¾
Bar Silver	50

Arrival—Lumley Castle.

STEAMER REPORTS.

MADRAS, MAY 17, 11-40 A. M.

Mail for Manilla leaves Singapore 20th.

MADRAS, MAY 17, 1-1 P. M.

Mail for Manilla leaves Singapore 11 a. m. to-morrow.

WEATHER REPORTS.—MAY 18.

CARWAR, 5 p. m.—Weather fine, wind W 3; thermometer 88·2; barometer 29·810.

MANGALORE, 17th, 4 p. m.—Weather morning fair, evening rainy, wind N.E., S. W. Fall of rain 64 cents.

VINGORLA, 5 p.m.—Weather variable, wind S. W. strong; thermometer 91.

One hundred men of the 9th Native Infantry, under the command of Major Morse, left Bombay on Saturday to strengthen the force at Thana, where something like a panic prevailed arising from the fear of a visit from the dacoits.

We hear that the telegraph wires were cut near Kurjut on Saturday.

A CORRESPONDENT at Rajkot writes to us under date 15th May :—"Colonel Hogg left for England on the 6th inst. The officers of the 12th Regiment gave the gallant officer a farewell dinner. Lieutenant-Colonel Prendergast Walsh proposed the Colonel's health to which he responded. Colonel Walsh is in command of the 12th Regiment and of the station. The days are very hot, but the mornings and nights are very cool. Fever is still bad with some of the troops. Rajkot city is full of beggars, but relief is given to them."

DR. KHORY, a Parsi gentleman of Bombay, a member of the London College of Physicians, has recently published a book entitled a "Digest of the Principles and Practice of Medicine," which has been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State, who, being of opinion that the work has been apparently written without any view to profit and is an instance of devotion to the scientific studies of the higher branches of the medical profession by a native of India, has ordered a number of copies to be purchased and transmitted to India for distribution among the Medical Colleges.

THE Secretary of State has sanctioned the proposal of the Government of India to fill up the appointment of a Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, in British Burma which had been held in abeyance. As the Government of India had asked for a further increase to the Forest Department of British Burma, the existing establishment being thought insufficient to carry out the work of demarkation, and at the same time to conduct the necessary girdling operations, the Secretary of State has expressed his opinion that the present is a favourable occasion for employing native agency, and suggests that the further increase of establishment may be met by the appointment of two native Sub-Assistant Conservators instead of the two additional assistant Conservators recommended by the Government of India.

THE Government of India, with the approval of the Home Government, has sanctioned the grant to Ressaldar Mahomed Hussein Khan of a village in the Moradabad District producing a net rental of Rs. 500 per annum for important services rendered by him to Government in collecting valuable information about the state of affairs in countries lying beyond the North-Western Frontier.

FROM private advices which have reached Ceylon it appears that only one officer and three privates of the gallant 57th were wounded during their first brush with the Zulus. Captain Hinx man escaped with slight injury, but one private is returned as "seriously" wounded. Captain Collins was invalided soon after his arrival at Durban, and was therefore unable to go to the front.

ON the 27th April, Colonel Campbell, the Deputy Commissioner of Sibsagar, whilst out riding with one of his daughters, was thrown from his horse, kicked by it, and severely bitten on the head.

WE (*Civil and Military Gazette*) have been able to procure, at first hand, and from Kabul direct, a brief but significant account of the condition of local affairs before and after Yakub Khan's departure to Gundamuck. This account not only corroborates our previous information regarding disaffection in that city, but makes it abundantly clear that the feeling against Yakub's English tendencies is growing more bitter, and the situation more critical, than ever. Yakub's own troops at Seeah Sung assumed even a threatening attitude, as soon as they became convinced that the Amir was about to negotiate. Fortunately, Sirdar Shere Ali Khan Kandahari, whom Yakub left in full charge at Kabul, seems to have been fully worthy of the trust reposed in him. He seized Noor Khan, the leader, or one of the leaders, apparently of the disaffected troops, and had him blown away from a gun. He then, we are told, temporarily disbanded three regiments, and permitted the men to return to their homes, but on the understanding that they would return to duty when called upon. Passing, next, from the Kabul people in particular, to the surrounding population generally, our correspondent reiterates his conviction that the latter are by no means satisfied with Yakub's conduct of the war, or his subsequent movements. It is quite clear that a continuance of this state of things may result in very serious embarrassments at Gundamuck—if, we mean, the Indian Government is unprepared to act in a manner worthy of its power, its *prestige*, and its responsibilities, and discard, once and for ever, the selfish, short-sighted policy of extorting the utmost from our ally, while declining to concede to him a corresponding advantage. If, on the other hand, the Government is prepared to support Yakub, in return for Yakub's concessions, then the disturbance at Kabul offers a good opportunity for the proclamation of an offensive and defensive treaty which shall make it patent to all the world that the English Government is determined upon guaranteeing the Amir's tenure of power. As it is in disputable that the Indan Government may, if it chooses, annex every inch of ground that its armies have overrun, and even add to its conquests, it follows that the Government, unless it contemplates such a guarantee, is merely wasting its own time, and spoiling Yakub's chances of success. The Amir, we may depend upon it, will only be too glad to yield everything for the guarantee. Two courses are open to us—either to yield this, or else to tell Yakub frankly that we shall draw our scientific frontier where we like, and leave him and his Afghans on their side of it, to "fry in their own gravy." In this case, Yakub, just as his father did, will turn to Russia; and so the familiar round of our sorry, huckstering policy will be finished once more—and we shall thrash Yakub, as we thrashed his father, for having made his compulsory choice between the Devil and the Deep Sea.

THERE have been some cases of cholera at Ali Musjid, but the latest accounts do not seem to indicate any development of an epidemic.

WE (*Pioneer*) have clearly ascertained that neither by the civil nor the military authorities have any orders been issued which would justify the action of the telegraph office at Peshawur in refusing to forward Mr. Boyle's message the other day. It would be interesting to ascertain through what mistakes or oversights the persons in charge of that office have been left under a false impression of their duties. The Peshawur Office was supposed by Government to be as free to all comers as the office at Allahabad, and the authorities of the Telegraph Department should take some active steps to make it so. All, it appears, that Government intended in connection with the repression of news, was to put an embargo on the Peshawur Telegraph Office for a few days at the time of the capture of Ali Musjid. We need not argue now as to whether that restriction was expedient or the reverse; but there can be no question about the impropriety of the system, which, as a matter of fact, was thus inadvertently set on foot. The Peshawur Office has practically remained closed to the public Press ever since, the clerks apparently refusing every message without a counter-signature, while no officer existed who was empowered to counter-sign for the Peshawur Office.

THE following letter has been addressed to the Lahore paper by the Assistant Commissioner of Murree :—"I hasten to give an unqualified denial to the sensational paragraph in your issue of the 8th instant to the effect that 'two European soldiers and thirty-four natives died from cholera yesterday.' The facts are that two European soldiers have died from the disease; but they were fresh arrivals from Rawul Pindi, and were attacked soon after their arrival more than ten days ago. Since then there have been no fresh cases among the troops. Only one other case has occurred, a native who had just arrived from Rawul Pindi. I am glad to say that Murree is at present perfectly free from cholera, as I telegraphed to you this morning; and I trust that, in the interests of the residents of Murree and their friends, you will draw attention to this letter."

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Hubli, 10th May, to the local *Examiner* says :—"Clouds of locusts have been gathering about Hubli for the past three days, and this morning the trees were simply alive with them. The ground is covered with half devoured leaves, and many trees have been entirely divested of their foliage. One mango tree in particular laden with green fruit attracted my attention. The mangoes had not been touched, but not a leaf remained on the tree, and the fruit depending from naked boughs had a most singular appearance. It stood in an orchard, and the owner and some of his men were standing in the midst of their ruined trees —all had suffered to some extent—looking very sueful. Fourtunately there are no crops now to suffer from these ravenous insects—but the people looking upon the visitation in the light that 'coming events cast their shadows before,' fear that this year is going to be a repetition of the preceding bad years. These locusts slightly differ in appearance from those which came up from the Bellary district and passed over Dambal, Gaday, Annigeri and Dharwar, last year. They were of a brownish or dirty white colour—these are gray, tipped with a very pretty pink. They have enormous mouths for their size, and the leaves found on the ground only half-eaten, look as if they had been nibbled by mice. I rode along the Karwar road this morning—it was covered with locusts, they rose up in clouds around me as I advanced, and a little terrier I have amused herself by killing and actually eating a number. The Marathas here consider them excellent eating. They strip off legs and wings and roast the body. The swarms seemed to come from the north-west, and a number of them passed on in the Laxmeshwar direction. The prices of grain have gone up again alarmingly, and will, I fancy, continue to rise as the season advances. What with no rain, and inopportune rain, and rats and locusts, this S. M. country, which once was a land flowing with milk and honey, will become one of the poorest districts of the Presidency. An old Parsi resident of Belgaum I heard the other day bemoaning the good old days that had passed away—one rupee a month was sufficient for the maintenance of a labourer twenty years ago. Then Goldsmith's lines 'where health and plenty cheer the labouring swain' might well have been applied; now alas! there is neither health nor plenty; what starvation has left unfinished fever has taken up. Surely some awful crisis is approaching—war, famine, floods and pestilence desolate the land. The 'signs of the times' are truly awful."

THE Bishop of Colombo is endeavouring to patch up a peace with the Church Missionaries. We learn from the *Ceylon Observer* that at the episcopal visitation, the Church Missionaries were not present at the opening communion service, but attended the meeting for formal business held in the library, and the conference of the clergy and laity afterwards held. "We learn that the Bishop sent to the Rev. J. L. Jones, of Christ Church, Colombo, offering, with his clergy, to receive the communion at his hands if the Church Missionaries would retract the charge that his lordship held the doctrine of transubstantiation. The Rev. Mr. Jones explained that as the Bishop had denied that he held such a doctrine his assurance would be accepted. The result was that the sacrament was administered in the usual way by Mr. Jones to the Bishop, Archdeacon, and most of the clergy. The question as to the sacrificial aspect and the eastward position remains open still as between the Bishop and the Church Missionaries. The Bishop has, however, receded from his emphatic declaration that he would hold no communication with the Church Missionaries until they had *fully* retracted or brought formal charges against him." What a spectacle is here presented to the world!

THE *Madras Mail*—The Brahmo paper observes that the House of Commons always commences its business with prayers, and remarks :—"Why should not our legislature follow the example? The prayers contain requests for many things, the possession of which would be of prime benefit to the rulers and, through them, to the empire at large." True; but possibly the inconsistency between some of the acts of the Legislature and invoking the Divine presence, would be too glaring even for our advanced law-makers.

ACCORDING to an English paper, an enthusiastic tribute to the Brahmo Somaj and Chunder Sen appeared in last month's *Missionary Record* of the Established Kirk. The writer of the article declares that "Chunder Sen, in the spirit of his theology, is as purely Christian as it is possible to be."

THE following communication to a Home paper by the representative of the Chilian Government in England should interest Oriental Bank shareholders :—Notwithstanding that the provision of an increasing income that my Government had, and of which I have informed you, has been realised for the most part; notwithstanding that the commercial condition of the country has changed for the better, because to the abundant last harvest may be added an increasing exportation, and also that the intrade industry is thriving; and notwithstanding that the customs duties are augmenting a considerable and quite unexpected outlay caused by the armed rupture of our relations with Bolivia has placed the Government in the painful necessity of stopping from the 1st of May next the remittances of funds for the payment of the sinking fund of our debt, and will only send money for the interest of the same.

WE (*Asian*) hear that the Derby Sweep this year is likely to exceed a lakh of rupees.

THE Dutch official trade returns show that the export of flower bulbs during the sixteen years from 1861 to the end of 1876 amounted in value to about $1,636,000, or an annual average of over £100,000. It appears that the value has been annually rising; thus the export for 1876 is set down at nearly £139,000. According to the latest survey the land devoted to rearing bulbs of tulips, hyacinths, and similar flowers amounts to nearly 600 acres.

MR. C. L. D. BLACK'S "Abstract of the Reports of the Surveys and of other Geographical Operations in India for 1876-77," published by order of the Secretary of State for India, furnished ample evidence of the indefatigable industry with which the officers of the Indian Survey and kindred departments pursue the tasks allotted to them. Of the "Statistical Survey" seventy eight volumes had been published up to May 1878, and Dr. Hunter is still busily engaged upon the "Imperial Gazetter."

THE present King of Italy apparently is not without some of the political tact that distinguished his father. The following has gone the round of the Continental and English papers :—The affection of King Humbert for Garibaldi is remarkable. The General is to spend the summer at Albano, and the King has determined to keep near to the revolutionary chief. Their Majesties, it is said, have taken the Villa Doria in Albano, and another vill a for the court. The presence of the King and Queen will, it is thought, keep Garibaldi out of mischief.

THE *Pall Mall Gazette* draws attention to the fact that the "Revolutionary Government of Russia," of which the dreaded Executive Committee is the organ, has a sort of *Moniteur* of its own. It is called *Land and Liberty*, is written in the Russian language, and appears monthly, with occasional supplements. Its imprint declares it printed at "the St. Petersburg Free Press" (with no more particular address, as may be supposed) whence all the proclamations of the Executive Committee are said to emanate. Indeed, the editor of *Land and Liberty* warns his fellow-countrymen that no proclamations or notices of any kind are to be regarded as coming from the Revolutionary Government unless bearing the stamp of the St. Petersburg Free Press. This warning is said to have become necessary because a good many proclamations of a revolutionary character have lately appeared which were not issued by the Executive Committee.

THE *Civil and Military Gazette* says :—A correspondent at Gundamuck writes that during a conversation between Yakub Khan, Major Cavagnari, and Sir Samuel Browne, a distinction was admitted between the attitude of Yakub Khan, and that of the remoter clans and Chiefs respectively, towards the English Government. It was the latter, according to the English representatives, who were responsible for the delays and the uncertainties of the Indo Afghan question during the later stages of its progress: and this view of the situation was, according to our informant's belief, acquesced in by the Amir. We cannot answer for the accuracy of the report; but it is evident that the condition of affairs in Kabul might have embarrassed a ruler even the most anxious for a reconciliation with his English neighbours. It is also tolerably clear—and the assertion can hardly be too often repeated—that if we mean our ally to be strong, that is, worth retaining, we must straightforwardly help him to keep his unruly subjects well under.

ONE of the effects of the extreme dulness known in trade, is that the tendency of travel to gravitate towards the lowest level has been increased. According to *Engineering* the extent and the rapidity of the movement are remarkable, as a few instances from official figures will show. The North Eastern Railway is one of the large systems which has been specially affected by the dulness in the coal and iron trades, and the diminution of the traffic. Comparing the numbers of the travellers for the past half year with those for the corresponding half of the previous year, we have the following as the state of the passenger traffic for the two periods of six months each, the last halves of the two years named :—

North-Eastern Railway Passengers.

	1877.	1878.
First class	659 038	607,463
Second class	919,239	825,134
Third class	13,943 175	13,917,912
Total	15,521,452	15,350,509

Here the intensity of the depression is marked by a general falling off in the traffic; but it is at once apparent that the ratio of the decrease is by far the largest in the second and first classes, and is comparatively small in the lowest class. Similar figures proving the same thing were given with regard to all the other great railway lines.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to the *Athenæum* :—'The large find of contract tablets which was made by the Arabs in 1874, and which furnished to the British Museum the splendid series of Egibitablets, has now practically come to an end not, however, without the exhumation of more than 5,000 tablets dealing with the commercial transactions of this large firm of bankers from the commencement of the late Babylonian empire until the fall of the Persian. Stimulated by the ready sale which they found for these antiques in the European markets, the Arab dealers have continued their explorations in other parts of the mounds of Babylon, and have unearthed a quantity of inscribed tablets of a class hitherto but scantily represented in the European museums. These tablets, some of which bear dates and dockets, belong to the period of the Parthian empire and the dynasty of Arsaces, and relate to abstruse mathematical calculations as to the relationships of the sun, moon, and stars. They are extremely difficult to read as they are evidently written in an enigmatical manner, and the key to the theory of numbers cannot as yet be found. However when this shall be solved there is little doubt we shall find that they throw some light on the Cabalistic philosophy. The astronomy and astrology of the Babylonians appear from these tablets to have taken a new lease of life, and to have borrowed some Western theories. A collection of more than a thousand of these tablets, some perfect, some very fragmentary, has arrived in England, and it is to be hoped they may soon be translated or examined, so as to solve some of the theories of the later Babylonian philosophy."

THOSE who think that cavalry will still have uses in future campaigns will find comfort in the following remarks taken from the *Athenæum's* review on General Taylor's new book detailing his experience during the war in the Southern States :—One great reason why the victories on either side were so barren of strategical results, and why in consequence the war lasted so long, was the indifferent quality of the cavalry. The Confederate cavalry was composed of men who were splendid horsemen, and distinguished by their enterprise and courage. They were also well armed, and did much excellent service, especially when fighting dismounted. In short, they had every quality but discipline, and every other merit was rendered nugatory by this defect :—"Scores of them wandered about the country like locusts, and were only less destructive to their own people than the enemy." The Federal cavalry possessed all the faults of that arm in the Confederate army, and, in addition, were individually bad horsemen. A curious illustration of this fact was afforded in Jackson's Valley campaign. A large body of Federal cavalry escorting a convoy were surprised by Jackson at the head of a small force, and speedily put to rout, many prisoners being taken. "The horse was from New England, a sections in which horsemanship was an unknown art, and some of the riders were strapped to their steeds. Ordered to dismount, they explained their condition, and were given time to unbuckle. Many breastplates and other protective devices were seen here, and later at Winchester. We did not know whether the Federals had organized cuirassiers, or were recurring to the customs of Gustavus Adolphus. I saw a poor fellow lying dead on the pike, pierced through breastplate and body by a rifle ball. Ironclad men are of small account before modern weapons."

GUJARAT COLLEGE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—As I receive letters asking about the Scholarship Examination advertised for June 11th and 12th, will you kindly let me inform enquirers that they will be examined in English, Sanscrit, and Mathematics, but in no special books. Matriculation certificates should be brought.

K. P.

THE PILOTS' NEW SEAM CUTTER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—The latest novelty but in the Government Dockyard, if it does not beat its looks, I should think was intended for a steam coffie, for although she is called a large steam cutter, and is intended to carry pilots to and from the entrance of Bombay harbour, she is fitted with a large cabin, one of the worst things for stability and a most unsafe rig, and makes her tenderer, she has a large sliding gaviter sail!

If it is not too late, and I suggest that a trap door be made in the bottom of the cabin, so that should she feel inclined when crossing the end of the Prongs to roll over and go down, those on board who may not feel inclined to be drowned and buried at the same time, may open the trap and swim ashore. But how about those who cannot swim, or get taken by a shark?

QUERY.

BOMBAY.

THE following is the programme of music to be played by the band of the 9th Regiment N. I. at the Esplanade bandstand this evening :—

March	Royal Engineer—Sawerthal.
Overture	Tancredi—Rossini.
Selection	Oberto Conte Di S Bonifacio—Verdi.
Valse	Unter Due Laiden—Gung'l.
Quadrille	Chaine Di Fleurs—Faust.
Galop	Une Der Wind—Faust.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

MAJOR RIVETT-CARNAC, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, arrived at Poona from Mahabaleshwar on Friday morning. We believe that Sir Richard Temple will not now visit Mahabaleshwar, but come to Poona direct.

WE hear that a locket has been presented to Mr. Charles Silvester by his Bombay friends as a slight recognition of his skill on the roller skates.

THE cotton shipped from ports in Sind to foreign or external ports, during the month of April, was 4,299 bales, valued at Rs. 348,615.

OBSTRUCTING THE TRAM LINE.—A Hindu, named Shewjee Hurridass, was on Saturday last fined Re. 10 by Mr. C. P. Cooper for placing stones on the tramway rails.

ILLEGAL CONVEYANCE OF LIQUOR.—A toddy drawer was on Saturday last fined Rs. 25 by Mr. W. Webb, for conveying four gallons of country liquor without having obtained a permit from the Collector of Bombay.

AN official of the Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals has made the *amende honourable* to Mr. Shamrao Pandurang in the following letter we have received for publication :—"I owe Mr. Shamrao Pandurang an apology for the confusion of names in the report published in your paper the day before yesterday. The name of Mr. Shamrao, solicitor, was substituted for that of Mr. Shamrao (a solicitor's clerk) by mistake, which I regret very much. Ignorance of the names and designations of native gentlemen sometimes taken up by the European agents of our society may naturally lead to such a mistake."

THE Government of Goa have, we learn, yielded to public opinion in abolishing passports, against which good protestations were raised as being very annoying to passengers leaving the port of Goa. The income from this source was altogether insignificant, but the Government, it is believed, would not have been induced to abolish this irritating impost, had it not seen the expediency of the step for the sake of the increase in the stamp duty which proportionately augmented as all the passports, had driven many travellers themselves to the overland route via Belgaum and Vingorla so as to evade the payment of the passport tax.

THE TRAFFIC ON THE B. B. AND C. I RAILWAY.—The increase in goods traffic on the B. B. & C. I. Railway for the week ending 10th May 1879 was 52,696 maunds, and in money Rs. 27,486. The quantities carried and earnings compared with 1878 are as follows :—

Description.	Week ending 10th May 1879.	Week ending 11th May 1878.	Increase.	Decrease.
COTTON—				
Weight	Mds 36,740	Mds 14,463	Mds. 22,277	...
Amount	Rs. 28,612	Rs. 12,781	Rs. 15,831	...
GRAIN—				
Weight	Mds 61,789	Mds 72,384	...	Mds10,595
Amount	Rs. 15,619	Rs. 19,511	...	Rs. 4,192
SUGAR—				
Weight	Mds. 16,483	Mds. 10,130	Mds 6,345	...
Amount	Rs. 9,380	Rs. 5,723	Rs. 3,657	...
COTTON—				
Waste—				
Amount	Mds 581	Rs. 134	Mds 447	...
PIECE GOODS AND TWIST—	Rs. 1,465	Mds. 340	Rs. 1,125	...
Weight	Mds 4,059	Mds 4,583	...	Mds 524
Amount	Rs. 2,942	Rs. 4,018	...	Rs. 675
SALT—				
Weight	Mds 53,079	Mds 55,920	...	Mds 2,741
Amount	Rs. 10,884	Rs. 12,240	...	Rs. 1,356
SEEDS—				
Weight	Mds 13,196	Mds 13,816	...	Mds 620
Amount	Rs. 4,862	Rs. 5,499	...	Rs. 637
SUNDRY—				
Weight	Mds 5,698	Mds 9,587	...	Mds 3,889
Amount	Rs. 3,163	Rs. 5,597	...	Rs. 2,434
TOTAL—				
Amount	Mds 177,903	Mds 1,24,707	Mds 42,296	...
	Rs. 80,88.	Rs. 94,866	Rs. 16,014	...
TOTAL—				
Weight	Mds 2,68,610	Mds 3,15,914	Mds 52,696	...
Amount	Rs. 1,23,811	Rs. 1,01,824	Rs. 27,480	...

THE VOLUNTEERS' AL FRESCO ENTERTAINMENT.

THERE was as usual a very large attendance at the Volunteers' *Al Fresco* Entertainment on Saturday night, but the entertainment was not as great a success as those which preceded it. In fact, Saturday's affair was rather "slow." Set dramatic performances are out of place on such occasions, and in spite of the talent of Miss Firmin, Mr. Wheatleigh, Mr. St. Maur, Mr. Jack, and the other members of the popular theatrical company who have been playing for the last few weeks at the Grant Road Theatre, the thing dragged perceptibly. The new lights used, too, had not nearly so pretty an effect as the Chinese lanterns which added so much to the scene on former occasions, and they by no means made up in brilliancy for what they lost in picturesque effect.

THE GRANT ROAD THEATRE.

TO-NIGHT Mr. Jack's Company appear in a different style of entertainment from any they have yet presented to the Bombay public, and play the "Daughter of the Regiment," in which Miss Firmin's really high class powers may be expected to show to much advantage. The performance will be repeated on Tuesday; on Wednesday *Lovel vs Pogue* will be presented for Mr. Wheatleigh's benefit; and on Friday, Miss Firmin will appear, on the occasion of her benefit, in her favourite role of Miss Malton, the heroine of the powerful drama of "Expiation," a play founded on the incidents of "East Lynne," but treated in a different style.

The performance on Saturday next will be for the benefit of the families of the British soldiers who have fallen in the Afghan and Zulu campaigns.

WILSON'S CIRCUS.

THIS place of amusement was densely crowded on Saturday night last, when a change of programme was introduced. The reputation established for themselves by the Gregorys by their astonishing performances on the double trapeze and by their general acrobatic feats, was sustained. In the double equestrian act entitled the "Swiss Lovers," Eugene Lee and Miss Sophie Lee acquitted themselves creditably. Fatinitza, as the "Bounding Jockey," and Master Jack as the Zulu chief Cetewayo, showed in their respective parts a daring as well as an easy, airy grace which long practice and perfect self-confidence could alone confer. The distribution of gifts commenced about half-past 10 p. m. and took nearly an hour and a quarter. There was one gift of Rs. 100 given to a Parsee lad; there were two gifts of Rs. 50 each, and several of Rs. 20 and Rs. 25 each, besides twenty-five gifts of Rs. 10 each, the last of which fell to the lot of different classes of people—Marwaris, Parsee priests, Moguls, little boys as well as grown-up persons. A fair scramble would see, these gifts were administered under the supervision of a committee selected from the audience, with perfect good faith. Everything in connection with them appeared to be managed in a thoroughly honest, straightforward way; and it is to be regretted, therefore, that even native women places in almost confidential and master airings in their eagerness to participate in them. A grand gift of Rs. 1,000 to be awarded on Saturday evening next.

MUSKETRY PRIZES.

GENERAL ORDER.

Head Quarters, Simla, 10th May.

THE C.-in-C. in India has much pleasure in publishing to the Army the result of the competition, by the British and Native troops serving in Bengal, for His Excellency's musketry prizes. 238 non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal Artillery and British Cavalry, 1,495 of the British Infantry, 220 of the Native Cavalry, and 2,722 of the Native Infantry competed for these prizes.

The small number of competitors, compared with former years, has been caused by several regiments having been unable to take part in the contest, consequent on being on field service.

Sir F. P. Haines considers the results to be very satisfactory.

The 4th (Queen's Own) Hussars (now in England) made the best average score among the Royal Artillery and British Cavalry.

The 1st Battalion 12th (East Suffolk) Regiment has won the Commander-in-Chief's cup, with the score of 77 points.

Private B. Compton, of the 2nd Battalion 22nd (Cheshire) Regiment, has won His Excellency's prize gold watch, having made the best score among the infantry competitors, 49 out of a possible 56 points at 500 and 600 yards.

Troop Sergeant Major O. Smith, 6th Dragoon Guards (Carabineers), being the best shot among the competitors in the Royal Artillery and British Cavalry, has won the Commander-in-Chief's prize sword.

The 40th (The Shahjahanpur) Regiment of N. I. has made the best aggregate score, 630 points, of the thirty-one regiments which competed, thus winning the Commander-in-Chief's money prize of Rs. 100.

Sepoy Sewpal Singh, of the same regiment, has won "The Magdala Medal," having made 46 out of a possible 56 points at 500 and 600 yards.

Sowar Dyal Singh, of the 6th Bengal Cavalry, being the best shot among the Native Cavalry competitors, has won His Excellency's prize sword, with a score of 46 out of a possible 56 points at 400 and 500 yards.

Sir F. P. Haines also desires that his approval may be conveyed to the competitors generally in all regiments, and particularly to the winning teams of the 1-12th Foot and 40th N. I.

ALLEGED CULPABLE HOMICIDE.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

KIRKEE, MAY 17.

YESTERDAY evening between 8 and 9 o'clock four soldiers, three of the 78th Highlanders and one a gunner of the Royal Artillery stationed at Kirkee, went on to the railway line through a gate with the view of overtaking the down mail train to Poona. They were, however, late, and they were accosted by policeman and told that they were trespassing. They were apparently in a state of intoxication, and inclined to be riotous. They went up to the station door, abused a telegraph clerk, and walked through the station house to the back verandah and there broke through a glazed window. A policeman then went up to them to prevent further mischief, when one of them seized him by the throat, pushed him along the verandah, and threw him over the wall into the railway yard entrance. All the soldiers then jumped over after him, when another policeman came to his rescue. One of the soldiers, who was in kilted uniform (the other three being in white clothing), took off his belt and struck the second policeman, but both were able to make their escape, one to the platform the other to the road. The latter was followed by all the four soldiers, but was happily not overtaken. One of the soldiers, gunner Drily, then went back into the yard, and seeing one Hurree, a night watchman on the line, coming towards him, tripped him up and kicked him with his ammunition shoes, leaving the man prostrate on the ground. The soldier then made his way out of the yard, joined his comrades, and went towards the Royal Artillery barracks. They were, however, followed by a policeman and the station master, who reported the occurrence to the sergeant major, and he informed them that Gunner Drily had just come in. This man having been confronted with the policeman he was identified as being one of the four soldiers who created the disturbance, and who had maltreated Hurree Mahadoo, the night watchman. On the return of the station master and the policeman to the railway station they found Hurree Mahadoo breathing hard, and he died in five minutes after. This morning, on Inspector Bayley calling upon gunner Drily in the barrack cells, he informed him that one of his associates last night had been private Brown, of H. M.'s 78th Highlanders, and that he did not know the names of the other two, but they belonged to the same regiment.

An inquest was held at the railway station, and the jurors were of opinion that the approximate cause of the death of Hurree Mahadoo was the kicking he had received from gunner Drily. The corpse was then sent to the Sassoon Hospital for a *post-mortem* examination. Gunner Drily is still in the custody of the military authorities, but will shortly be brought to trial before Dr. Frazer, the Railway Magistrate. Steps have also been taken for the arrest of the three other soldiers.

THE INCENDIARIES AT POONA DISCOVERED.

THE incendiaries who perpetrated the diabolical crime of arson in the City of Poona last Tuesday night have been found out almost before the arrest fires which they caused have been extinguished. The first suspicion as to the perpetrators of the horrid crime proved to be correct. The person first arrested on that suspicion is proved to be the base criminal. Keshev Krishna Ranade, son of the deposed Secretary of the Government Branch Book Depot, has been detected and has made a confession. He is a young man of twenty-two years of age. He implicates a Brahmin (who is apparently an agent of Wassoodev Balwant Pundke, and who tempted Keshev Krishna by the present of ornaments and a gold ring) a Lingait Wani, and a Kunbee. He has not yet given their names. He is still reticent as to many others believed to be the instigators of the crime. He will not tell the other Brahmin, the Lingait and the Kunbee, were about days planning how most effectually to accomplish their diabolical object of setting fire to the two Palaces—the Boodwar and the Vishram Bagh. Both buildings were set on fire by means of kerosine oil. One box of oil was used in each building. The incendiaries effected their entrance into the Educational Inspector's Office at the Vishram Bagh Palace, and collected in a heap the carpets, floor-cloths, cushions, files and papers and saturated the heap with two tins of kerosine oil, then put a long slow match to the heap to enable them after igniting it to leave deliberately and lock the door after them. The Boodwar Palace was set on fire in the Book Depot. The books were piled on boxes, and the carpets and cushions collected around them, and all saturated with kerosine oil; a slow match was then laid to the heap, after igniting which the incendiaries left the Depot quietly locking the door after them. The shop-keeper from whom the kerosine oil was purchased has been pointed out, and he acknowledges having sold the two boxes a day or two before the fires. The belkurries, two women, who carried the two boxes of kerosine oil to Keshev Krishna Ranade's house have been traced, and give evidence on that point. Keshev has not yet given the names of his accomplices, and even states that he does not know them. The District Magistrate himself has made the preliminary inquiries thus far, and to him Keshev's confession was made. The inquiry has been adjourned to enable the police to further investigation and to follow up the clues they have now got. Major Carnac was all day with the District Magistrate in his inquiries. Mr. Campbell, the 1st Assistant Magistrate, has been called to Poona to conduct the further inquiries. Four persons have been ordered into custody by Mr. E. T. Richardson, the City Magistrate—the Government Book Depositary, his son Keshev, his carcoon and his peon. It was the strong smell of kerosine oil at the very outbreak of the fire which led Mr. Richardson, the City Magistrate, to suspect that the fire was caused by the plentiful use of that material. He at once concluded that some one connected with the Book Depot had used the oil in setting fire to the building. His suspicion soon rested on the young man Keshev Krishna. Thus Mr. Richardson's long experience in criminal enquiries came at once to his help and enabled him to detect the most diabolical crime of our times.—*Deccan Herald*, May 17.

WELLINGTON RACES.

(*Madras Mail.*)

WELLINGTON, 16th May.—THE NILGIRI CUP—Dick Turpin w. o.

THE AUCTION STAKES—Sir William 1, Dauntless 2; five ran.

THE ARAB HANDICAP—Temptation 1, Railway 2, Dutchman 3. Time—2-13, nine ran.

THE NILGIRI CUP HANDICAP—Dick Turpin 1, Echo 2, Chorister 3. Time—2-53½, six ran.

THE COONOOR PURSE—King Arthur 1, Kohinoor 2, Cardigan 3; six ran.

THE PLANTER'S CUP—Robin 1, Janette 2.

ENTRY OF AMIR YAKUB KHAN INTO GUNDAMUK.

(*Special correspondent of the Indian Daily News.*)

GUNDAMUK, MAY 8.

THE Amir Yakub Khan, accompanied by General Daud Shah and a small retinue, came into Gundamuk at ten o'clock this morning. Great preparations were made to enter into with a view to impress him as much as possible. His camp is pitched under some mulberry and chenar trees just across the

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Bombay, 10th April 1875.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON AND COMPANY.

SALE of unservicesable materials, old iron, teak timber, bullocks &c., at the New Alexandra S. and W. Co.'s Mills and at the Nursey Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, at Chinchpoogly.

On WEDNESDAY, the 21st instant, at 1-30 p. m., Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by public auction, at the both abovementioned Mills, Chinchpoogly, by order of the Official Liquidators appointed by the High Court of Bombay, the following unservicesable and surplus stocks, the same consisting:—A large quantity of old scrap and bar iron pipes, hangers, large fly wheel, iron trusses, castings, wrought iron, zinc and tin sheets, empty oil drums, hoop iron, &c.

Teakwood timber squares from 6" by 6" by 0' to 30' by 15" by 15", boat patkans, vanks, rafters, planks, windows with glass and bars, stands for shaftings, teak rails, junglewood planks, old beams, window frames, empty boxes, casks, old bardan (cotton) and coloured yarn and twist, gunny bags, sahibi bricks, chunam mixing and mortar, card cans buckets slubbing tubes, bobbins, shuttles, baskets, pieces of skins and leathers.

A pair of bullocks and few bags of sizing flour.

The sale will begin at Nursey's S and W. Co.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.

Bombay, 19th May 1879.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY.

2, MARINE STREET, BOMBAY.

TENTS! TENTS!

To be sold by Public Auction, by order of the Administrator General, THIS-DAY, MONDAY, the 19th instant, at 4 p. m., on the Wellington Reclamation Ground, nearly opposite the Tramway Stables.

2 single poled tents with rowties, the property of the late John Davis, Esq., Assistant Cotton Inspector, Broach.

The purchasers shall have to remove the tents immediately after the sale.

AUCTION SALE of wearing apparel, guns and rifles, tents, dogcart, Arab horses, pony, &c., the property of the late John Davis, Esq., Assistant Cotton Inspector, Broach.

THIS-DAY, MONDAY, the 19th instant, at 4 P. M., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction at their rooms by order of the Administrator General.

A lot of wearing apparel, dinner and dessert services, table, argand lamp and candlesticks, spoons and forks, cruet stand, travelling bed, chairs, a double-barrelled central fire gun by E. burtinshaw, a double-barrelled muzzle loading gun, by John Probin, a breach loading central fire single-barrelled rifle by W. W. Greener, gentleman's saddles, 2 single poled tents, set of single harness, trunks, portmanteaus.

A chesnut Arab horse age 7 years, height 14-2½ broken to harness, a good dog cart horse.

A chestnut Arab colt age 4 years, height 14-2½ used in saddle.

A Roan Gusrat pony, aged, height 13-3½ used in saddle.

A strong dogcart, &c, &c,

The horses and the dog-cart could be seen at Messrs. Stephen's stables, and the other goods at the rooms of the undersigned.

The property of another gentleman.

A Breach loading gun with revolving locks, by the celebrated makers, Charles Graham and Sons, of London.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

THIS-DAY, MONDAY, the 19th instant, at 2 P.M., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms,

10 Cases T Red prints.
2 " " Chunders.
2 " " Black serves.
2 " Assorted scarves.
4 " Brown Holland.
2 " White gauze 38 in. 10 yards.
1 " Handerchiefs.

On account of the concerned.

16 Bales coloured yarn.
15 " grey piece goods.

On account and at the risk of Aga Shaik Hoosein Babane.

100 dozen slop bowls, and 30 dozen cheese plates.

On account and at the risk of the indentor, Noor Mahomed Hajee Cassum.

1 case pen and pocket knives.

On account and at the risk of the indentor, Abdoolally Dawoodkhan.

AD—2 cases Japanned Iron Padlocks, ex Macedonia.

On account and at the risk of Esmail Abdoola and Sulliman Adumjee.

EA 1-5—5 cases Toys, ex Mirzapore.

BONA FIDE SALE.

On SATURDAY next, the 24th instant, sale commencing at 1 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at Love Lane, Mazagon, the valuable and handsome household furniture, plated gives and porcelain wares, a serviceable buggey, a strong grey horse, plants, &c., the property of P. Pearson, Esq.

Full particulars will appear hereafter.

Catalogues will be published and the furniture will be on view from Wednesday.

SALE OF JEWELLERY.

On MONDAY, the 26th instant at 2 P. M., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms by order of the Administrator General the jewelry and other effects of the late Kooshoobai, comprising gold scory, chiton paty, earrings and neck chain, silver wrist and arm ornaments and bangles, copper utensils, sarees, &c.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, 19th May 1879.

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TIN AND ZINC WARE MANUFACTURERS,
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A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Tin Manufactured Ware, &c. as Boxes, Baths, Lamps, Lanterns, &c., &c., for sale. Moderate Rates.

Repair in the above lines undertaken.

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HORSE EXAMINATION CERTIFICATES Rs. 10; Examination and Verbal Opinion, Rs. 5; Livery for Horses on Commission sale, Rs. 35 per month including syce; Horses in infirmary Rs. 1 per day; Commission Rs. 17 from purchaser and seller on horse sold.

Every care and attention devoted to Shoeing and Breaking to Harness, both being under our immediate supervision. Horses sent from up-country will meet with a ready market.

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A very handsome Bay Arab Mare, 5 years old, 14-3 high broken to and fast in harness, Rs. 1,000. Also a Dogcart by Bennett and Co., Ipswich, has been very little used, and is a very stylish Cart, Rs. 550.

An Iron Grey Arab Horse, 5 years old, 14-2½ high, is very strong, a good mover, quiet and fast in harness, suitable for Brougham or Dogcart, Rs. 400.

A strong and powerfully built white Arab, aged, 14-1 high, goes well in saddle and harness, Rs. 350.

A Bay Australian Gelding, 5 years, 15-3 high, goes in all harness, is quiet to ride and a good fencer, Rs. 700.

A Bay entire Waler, aged, 15-2 high a handsome upstanding horse, is a passed cavalry charger, Rs. 500.

A Bay Arab Gelding, 7 years, 14-1 high, a showy saddle horse and a free goer, Rs. 450.

An English Dogcart in good order, very light and strong, Rs. 250.

Girgaum Veterinary Stables, Bombay, 19th April 1879.

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Theodolites.
Dumpy Levels.
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Dry Water Colours.
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LIGHT RED WINE FOR THE HOT SEASON.

VERY sound and of splendid aroma, at Rs. 8 per dozen Quarts, Apply to

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CLARET IN WOOD AND CASES.

Montferrant Claret of 46 to 50 Galls. Hhd.			Rs. 170
St. Emilion	do.	do.	do. " 220
St. Julien	do.	do.	do. " 275
Medoc per dozen quarts			" 15
St. Julien	do.		" 18
Margaux	do.		" 20

BRANDY IN CASES.

Cognac Vieux per dozen	Rs.	18
Cognac Champagne do.	"	20

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THE NEW BREW is now being received; it is of excellent quality and is highly recommended.

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Quarts ....Rs. 4 12 per doz. in Casks of 4 doz.
Pints ..... " 3 0 " " 7 doz.
Hogsheads..." 60 0 per hhd. "
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Just received ex s. s. "Teheran."
Cash. Credit.

Irish and Scotch, per Imperial Gallon....	8	9	9	0
Dry Gin in cases has also been received, price per doz.....	24	0	25	0

CUTLER, PALMER AND CO.
10th May 1879.

CONNOISIER'S COGNAC.

WE have RECEIVED SUPPLIES of this well known BRAND and shall continue to do so.

	Cash. Rs. a.	Credit. Rs. a.
Prices, one diamond .....qts.	27 0	29 0
Prices, two diamonds ..... "	29 8	31 8
Prices, three diamonds ..... "	32 0	35 0

CUTLER, PALMER & CO.
May 1879.

G. & H. MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
(EXTRA DRY.)

THE Undersigned have been APPOINTED GENERAL AGENTS in India for the above Wine, which is very highly appreciated both in England and United States. Bonfort's Wine and Liquor Circular, New York, dated 10th January 1879, gives the following figures in its statement of the quantities of Champagne imported at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and other Ports of the United States during 1878:—

G. H. Mumm and Co.	35,906 doz. bottles.
Piper Heidsieck	19,636 do.
L. Roederer	13,469 do.
Moet and Chandon	5,478 do.
Heidsieck and Co.	5,401 do.
Yve. Clicquot Ponsardin	2,712 do.
Giesler and Co.	1,960 do.

Price per case of one doz. quarts .....Rs. 53
Do. do. of two doz. pints 55

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PRICE LIST of WINES, &c., FOR SALE at the Godowns of the Undersigned:—

* CLARETS:—FROM H. AND C. BALARESQUE, BORDEAUX.

Chateau de Prands	Rs.	14	per doz. Qts.
Do. do.	"	10	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Do. Lafitto	"	25	per doz. Qts.
Les Canons	"	18	per doz. Qts.
Do. do.	"	20	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Chateau Leoville	"	20	per doz. Qts.

* HOCKS:—FROM G. M. PABSTMANN SOHN, MAYENCE.

Gedenheimer	"	32	per doz. Qts.
Liebfraumilch	"	24	" "
Do.	"	27	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Steinwein	"	24	per doz. Qts.
Hochheimer	"	30	" "
Ruedesheimer	"	30	" "
Do.	"	33	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Marcobrunner	"	35	per doz. Qts.
Do.	"	38	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Queen Victoria Berg	"	88	per doz. Qts.

BEER:—

Norway Pale Ale	Rs.	18	per case of 3 doz. Qts.
IND COOPE & Co.'s PALE ALE....	Rs.	20	per Cask of 4 doz. qts.

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Just landed, ex Steamer Manilla, a fresh consignment of KREUZNACHER EXPORT BEER, at Rs. 6-8 annas per dozen quarts, net Cash.

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Eugene Cliquot's Carte Blanche	Rs.	42	per case of 2 doz. pints.
Ditto ditto	Rs.	50	per dos quarts
F. Giesler & Co.'s *Champagne*.	Rs.	55	per case of 2 per doz. Qts.

* BRANDY:—

Fromy and Rogéo's *** Cognac....	Rs.	30	per doz. Qts.
Boulestin & Co.'s *	"	20	"

CALIFORNIAN FRUITS.

Pears, Peaches, Plums, Cherries, Apples, Apricots, Grapes Rs. 12 per dozen tins,

CALIFORNIAN JELLIES.

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GINGER ALE.

ACCORDING TO THE BELFAST FORMULA.

THIS most delicious aerated beverage has been only lately introduced into Bombay, and ROGERS & Co.'s will challenge comparison with any for its brilliancy and refreshingly exhilirative qualities. As with all our other aerated waters the greatest care is taken in all parts of its manufacture, pure water and pure chemicals being great essentials. No lead piping of any description is used in connection with any part of our machines, and the use of steam power enables us to bottle at an invariably equal and sufficient pressure. Price Re. 1-8 per dozen.

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Prepared by ourselves from the very best meat to be obtained, and fresh stock being constantly made, we can confidently recommend these to invalids as the purest and best to be had. Far superior to any imported.

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We prepare Cashmere, Lucknow and Colonel Skinner's Chutnies, Curry Powder, Balchow, Tapp's Sauce, &c.

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We prepare these, ready for cooking, in large quantities and put them up in tins. They will keep for any length of time, and no curry is complete without them. Very suitable for presents to Indian friends at home. Price Re. 1 per tin.

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For preventing the incrustation of Boiler. Rs. 28 per cwt.

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Coat and Trousers.....	Rs.	16, 20 & 25	
Do. do.	"	30 to	45
Fine Black and Blue Serge Suits.....	Rs.	26	
Fine Black Cloth Morning Coats.....	"	36	
Do. do. Frock Coats.....	"	40	
Fancy Tweed Trousers.....	Rs.	8 to	16

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Oxford Cloth Shirts, six for	Rs.	25 to	27
French Cambric Stripes and Spots with Collars, six for.....	Rs.	25	

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This Instrument has been constructed by S. Rose [illegible] able Pianoforte, combining strength, lightness, and po[illegible] Solid Mahogany case, over-strung scale, tension b[illegible] Price Rs. 650 Cash; Packing[illegible]

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This Cottage Piano is constructed for the Indies[illegible] name is sufficient guarantee as to solidity and good [illegible] Case, with extra metal pin plate, bolted and screwed [illegible] and all the latest improvements. The Hammers, pare[illegible] from A to A.

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Beg to Draw the attention [illegible]
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The prices quoted be[illegible]

	Rs. a.		Rs.
Deck Suits.....10 to 15	8	Travelling Hats.....	8
Overland Suits 27	0	Cardigan Jackets ..8-8 to 13	
Warm Suits .....30 to 40	0	Sheets, per pair.....	9
Boys' Sailor Suits 9	8	Pillow Cases, each...1-4 to 3	
Overcoats and Ulsters from.....35 to 65	0	Blankets.....per pair 10	
Dressing Gowns from 9 to 20	0	Long Rugs or Scotch [illegible]	19
Pyjamas 3	0	Rezais or quilts.....	5
Oxford Shirts, Collar attached	6	Ladies' Wool Shawls.....	32
White do.	5	Portmanteaus or Bags.....	11
French Cambric do., Collar attached	5	Trunks .....12-8 to	23
English Cambric do	4	Solid Leather do	49
Best Shrunk Flannel do..	8	Extra Large do	26
Silk and Wool do	8	Black Hide Bags.....	11
Spun Silk do	10	Extra large do	24
Gents' Under Vests 8 to	6	Portfolios	35
Bathing Drawers	2	Ladies' Hand Bags.....	7
Gents' Under Pants..8 to	8	Travelling Writing Cases [illegible] fitted	11
Gents' Cotton Socks, doz..	8	Gents' Bags, fitted, complete [illegible]	79
Ladies Under Vests 4-8 to	6	ted complete.....	34
Ladie WhiteCotton Hose doz	8	Gents' Dressing Cases.....	11
Ladies' Heather Merino Hose doz	9	Gents' Figskin Dressing Cases, complete ...35 to	30
Children's White Cotton Socks, from doz..6-4 to	12	Solioi Linen Bags, all sizes .....5 to	8
Heather Merino do..8-8 to	12	Courier Bags.....	8
Ladies' Sun and Travelling Hats, from .....6-8 to	15	Money Belts	2
Travelling Caps	4	Sovereign Boxes ...3-8 to	6
Travelling Seal-skin Caps ..... 6-8 to	8	Tiffin Baskets fitted..16 to	22
Dress Boots and Shoes from	12	Air Pillows.....	5
		Travelling do.....	1
		English Feather do.....	2
		Ashantee Hammocks from	15
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Covers 125 per cent[illegible]
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It retains its Whiten[illegible]
A Red Heat will not [illegible]
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The Patent Zinc White, or substit[illegible] Mr. Thomas Griffiths, of Oxton, [illegible] praise at the Meetings of "The So[illegible] and "The So[illegible]

THE Manufacture of "GRIFFITHS' P[illegible] at the Society of Arts in the Spring [illegible] scientific Chemists, Paint Merchants, Decora[illegible] Congress of Hygiene, at Paris, in August [illegible] and in the same month before the British A[illegible] upon it at the Social Science Congress in O[illegible] of a paper read during the session of 18[illegible] International Exhibition, 1878, the highest [illegible] The only Silver Medal, was awarded to it, an[illegible] the Prize Medal. It has been most favourab[illegible] "Engineer," "Builder," "Architect," "Ch[illegible] Journal," "Scientific American," "Journa[illegible] de Paris," "Lloyd's Official List," "New[illegible] Rendus," of the French Academy of Scie[illegible] can be had on application; also samples for [illegible]

So great has been the demand for it [illegible] producing about 25 TONS PER WEEK in L[illegible] Works in London, where they can manufactu[illegible] have also had to secure sufficient room to i[illegible] them the largest producers of White Pigmen[illegible]

WHITE LEAD possesses only one good p[illegible] loses its opacity, and turns yellow with Sewe[illegible] other metals.

OXIDE ZINC has scarcely half the covering power of lead, but it is white and retains its colour.

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